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COMMUNICATION.

To the Editors of the *American Journal of Psychology*,

GENTLEMEN :

I regret to say that through inadvertence no mention was made in my recent paper on "The Psychology of Conjuring Deceptions" of Professor Joseph Jastrow's important study of the same subject (*The Psychology of Deception*, *Pop. Sci. Mo.*, 1888, Vol. XXXIV, pp. 145-157).

Professor Jastrow was, so far as I know, the first to enter upon this field, and subsequent investigators naturally find themselves under obligation to him. The writer's attention has also been called to the fact that through Dessoir's lack of acknowledgment to this same author several citations have been credited to Dessoir that are to be found in Jastrow's original paper.

Respectfully,
NORMAN TRIPLETT.

Clark University, Sept., 1900.

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